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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

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Reentry Program) AMENDED GENERAL
) ORDER NO. 2009-4

The U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio has established a Reentry Program to address the needs of offenders who are returning to northwest Ohio communities. The Pretrial Services and Probation Office uses a tool called the Risk Prediction Index (RPI) to help identify those individuals most likely to benefit from this Program.

In the Western Division, all Program participants shall be transferred to the docket of the presiding Reentry Judge who will administer the Program, with the assistance of a Magistrate Judge, and handle any supervised release violations by a Program participant.

The Probation Office shall coordinate with the originating Judge to file a transfer of jurisdiction to the presiding Reentry Judge when the participant is admitted to the Program. The Clerk's Office shall make all necessary case reassignments to effectuate this Order.

The Federal Public Defender's Office shall be appointed to represent Program participants in all proceedings related to the participant's probation or supervised release, unless otherwise directed by the presiding Reentry Judge.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COURT

Solomon Oliver, Jr.

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Chief Judge